ereby certify this correspondence is being posited with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents , Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 05/02/03 Date of Deposit RECEIVED Richard K. Clark MAY 0 8 2003 Name of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative Technology Center 2600 Case No. <u>9821/3943</u> NUS00069 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re Application of: YOSHIHIRO NISHIYAMA ET AL. Serial No: 09/834,085 Examiner: W. Klimowicz Filed: April 12, 2001 Group Art Unit: 2652 For: THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD COMPRISING SION FILM (As Amended) PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a)) Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Dear Sir: This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated January 10, 2003 for a period of 1 month(s).  $\boxtimes$ Applicant: claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

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		One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110.00 \$410.00 \$930.00 \$1,450.00 \$1,970.00	\$55.00 \$205.00 \$465.00 \$725.00 \$985.00
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$\boxtimes$	Attached is a check for \$110 for the Petition fee.			
	Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$ for the Petition fee.			
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.  Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.			

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 05/02/03

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